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THE BRANDON MAIL. Thursday, June 4, 1896. THE NEWS OF THE DAY. CONDENSED FOR BUSY PEOPLE.

Short and Interesting Paragraphs that Treat of Men and Things in a General Way.

The Northern Pacific sale is set at West Superior for July 25.

Edward Burns, a farmer of Thornbury, is dead from the effect of being kicked in the abdomen by a colt.

A U.S. fishing smack was caught poaching and captured by the cruiser Aberdeen, off Guysboro, N.S.

The infant child of a farmer named Cole, a couple of miles from Paisley, Ont., fell into a tub of water and was drowned.

Bishop Desjardins of Toronto, too, occasion in his sermon to severely denounce betting connected with the races now in progress.

Lightning recently struck Mundell's furniture factory, at Brantford, Ont., destroyed by fire. The loss will reach \$12,000, partly covered by insurance.

A twelve year old lad named Lachance is dead from the effects of an accidental blow from a bat received while attending a game of baseball at Quebec on Sunday last.

The steamship Turret Cape, of the Turret line, from Philadelphia to Montreal, is ashore off Cape St. Anne, St. Lawrence. The vessel is in a dangerous position and is making water.

The Heslian fly has again made its appearance in this country and its ravages are seriously alarming to local farmers near Gt. Chatham. Already many wheat fields are practically ruined.

An order in council has been passed authorizing the admission into Canada free of duty, of the bronze statue to be erected in Toronto in memory of the volunteers who were killed in the North-west rebellion of 1855.

The ninety foot flag pole on the Manitoba hotel, Winnipeg, succumbed to the furious gale a few days ago, and in falling to the ground below broke many of the windows in the hotel. The flag, which was the largest one in the city, was not slightly torn.

Major Morris, of the Salvation Army, is missing. He left home the afternoon, boarded a street car and went towards Portmouth. Where he was last seen is not known. The Salvationists are making a diligent search, but have not yet discovered any clue.

The head of the buffalo, "Poundmaker," captured by the Queen's Own in the Northwest, has been presented to the officers of that battalion. The presentation was made by Mr. Harry Piper on behalf of Mr. Robert Davies, who was its last owner before death, and who had it handsomely mounted.

Wm. Dickey, a farmer living in a hired township, went bathing with a friend and a Mr. Middleton. They had been in only a short time when Dickey cried for help. The other two tried to reach him with a pole, but he sank. It is believed that he took cramps. The body was recovered in thirty-five feet of water.

A boy of sixteen years, named Whaley, was drowned at Caladonia the other night. He had been fishing with a brother and a hired man. Their horse, while drinking, plunged into fourteen feet of water. The occupants of the rig jumped out, and the hired man and brother were the only ones to reach the shore alive.

American workmen employed in Windsor, have drawn up a petition, which has already received more than 20 signatures, requesting United States Senator Jas. McMillan, of Detroit to work against the Carlsberg bill, extending Canadian who work in the United States. The petitioners request retaliation on the part of the Canadian authorities.

The Toronto Star says the decline in the price of Ontario wheat has been severe of late. Red winter wheat is 70c and white 72c. These are the lowest prices in many months and are occasioned by a decreased consumption of these qualities and a large increase in the demand for Manitoba wheat on the part of Ontario millers. The wheat in Manitoba last year and a comparatively limited export demand for it, tends to keep prices down.

Geo. Bennett, of Eden, Ont., was assisting a neighbor in the operation of splitting large stumps with a jack-screw, and had one nearly split, when he stepped into the opening and suddenly the jack-screw flew out and the stump, closed like a shot, catching Bennett in its grip. His companion at once chopped away the stump and released the victim, but not before Bennett was dead. Bennett's left arm was broken, and his whole frame about the chest and ribs was crushed in.

A change of time will go into effect on several of the smaller C.P.R. branch lines on June 15. The Windsor branch trains will leave on the evenings of Monday, Wednesday and Friday, returning to the city on the following days at about 10:30. On the Emerson branch there will be two trains a week, on Mondays and Fridays. The train will depart at 7:30 and reach Winnipeg about 17:30. The Stonewall train will go out at 12:45 Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, returning to Winnipeg on the same days at 10. A third train per week will also be placed on the Brandon and Pipestone branches in deference to the wishes of the Brandon board of trade and business men of the west.

An important change has been inaugurated by Manager Piers, of the C.P.R. steamship lines. Up to the present time the crews of the boats plying between Owen Sound and Port Arthur were required to stop freight and trim the vessels. Hereafter this work will be performed by the stevedores and the sailors will only have the ordinary duties of their calling to execute. In this way they will be classed as able-bodied seamen, and have been furnished with an appropriate uniform consisting of white trousers, blue jerseys and caps. Upon the front of the latter is inscribed the name of the steamship, while on the

breast of the jerseys are the letters "C. P. R. S. S. Line," in red with the house flag of the company. Their caps and sailing-like appearance is exciting much comment at the various ports of call.

SPOILING HER GAME.

The Mouth Piece of Gabriel Says the Pope May be Mistaken.

The French Society of Physical Sciences is still much worried over the case of the young woman, Mile. Condon, of Rue du Paradis, who claims to be inspired by the archangel Gabriel. It will be remembered that the society appointed a committee of investigation, which soon returned baffled. Then another committee was formed and set to work without much better success. Its members, among which was the well known Paris divine, Canon Brette, of Notre Dame, were charged to examine Mile. Condon, and ascertain "whether she acted in virtue of a condition unknown to science; and, whether on the contrary, she acted in virtue of a diabolic inspiration, and, fourthly, whether she had a mission to fulfill, and if so, what." Mile. Condon has been interested in the committee, and there is ground for strong suspicion that she played with the grave and rosy eared inquirer, but from the point of view of her own material interests, she made a distinct mistake by poking fun at Canon Brette. The society met recently to receive the committee's report, which was read in all solemnity by the reverend canon. It was in substance, said the committee to reply to the first question, but there could be no doubt about the second. Mile. Condon most certainly was not acting by divine inspiration, she spoke disrespectfully of the pope. When she was asked, "if the holy church should forbid you to listen to these inspirations would you continue to receive them?" Mile. Condon replied that she would not be able to obey such orders. "I should continue to believe in my mission. Why should I not? It would simply prove that the pope was mistaken, and that would not be the first time. As Canon Brette argued, the Archangel could not possibly have dictated or inspired such an answer, and it was therefore obvious that Mile. Condon's inspiration was not divine. Furthermore, as Canon Brette points out, the Archangel Gabriel visited the Virgin Mary once only, and while she was in prayer, whereas the latter day angel is at the service of Mile. Condon from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m., and does not mind calling on her at her breakfast table. His prophecies to the Virgin Mary, extensive as they were, were expressed in the Vatican in French sentences of 120 words. With Mile. Condon on the other hand, he talks day and night and often on the most frivolous subjects. His language to the virgin was angelic, his foretold she would be called blessed by all nations. What does he say to Mile. Condon? He promises to find her a husband. The Virgin Mary was penetrated with humility. Mile. Condon, says the Canon, is filled after each visitation with pride. The archangel Gabriel had the gift of languages. This one stumbles over the easiest Greek and Latin text.

THE WHEEL STOPPED.

A Party of Londoners Had to Pass a Night 300 Feet in the Air.

It is a curious coincidence that while members of the English House of Commons were in the city of London, a so-called most comfortable of all cities, a number of people, men, women and children, were under a somewhat similar experience at Earl's Court, London. Queen's party had entered the great wheel, the Londoners knew as the "Great Wheel" or "London Wheel." This structure is an imitation of the Ferris wheel of the Chicago World's Fair, but is larger, the highest point of the London wheel being 300 feet from the ground, while the top of the Ferris wheel was only 24 feet high. Shortly before 11 the other day the wheel started with quite a number of people on board, and everything went merrily until 8:20 when the structure stopped, wheeling in the air. At first little attention was paid to the matter, but as time passed, and the wheel would not budge, those able to do so left the cars, and steps were taken to rescue those imprisoned higher up. Ladders were procured, ropes were thrown, and in spite of all these efforts quite a number of people were compelled to remain aloft. About midnight they got hungry and every means was devised to feed them and make them comfortable for the night. Eventually they went to sleep, but awoke the next morning early very hungry. By means of ropes, cans of coffee and baskets of bread and other provisions were hoisted up to them and the work of trying to revolve the wheel resumed. It could not be said that the prisoners were finally released and returned to the ground, but they were rescued by the crowds who had assembled to witness the rescue.

THE BICYCLE BUSINESS.

United States Consul Parker, at Birmingham, Eng., has contributed to the state department at Washington, a special report on the remarkable business in making of steel tubing at that place, caused by the great increase in the use of bicycles. Incidentally he tells of a shrewd Yankee business transaction which placed British bicycle makers in a bad plight. American manufacturers, who, seeing a great demand for wheels, not only purchased all the stock of steel tubing on hand, but gave orders every day for the output of many factories for a long time to come. So it happened when the "crisis" struck England, British bicycle makers found they had been caught napping and were short of material. Indeed, they were so short that they started up new steel tube plants and so many have been projected that over-production is feared in the end. Meanwhile there is a stringency. To show the extent of the increased export of this tubing to the United States, the consul says while the entire export of 1894 was \$85,808, that for the first quarter of this year it amounts already to \$204,100. Meanwhile there has been considerable decrease in exports of finished British bicycles to the United States, the value having fallen from \$175,810 the first six months, 1895 to \$90,968 for so much of the current year as has expired.

Obstinacy and contradiction are like a paper kite—they are only kept up as long as you pull against them.

The advertisement that makes a few people buy is better than one that makes many people laugh.

POLITICS IN ALASKA.

A Lively Incident and a Tragedy at the First Convention.

Politics, heretofore an unknown quantity in Alaska, has broken out with suddenness and vigor, and with tragic results. incident to the election of delegates to the Republican national convention. At the territorial convention which met recently, there were two tickets in the field. The fight had been very bitter, and when the faction led by C.S. Blakely realized they were in the minority, they bolted the organization by attempting to force the election of the chairman and to place in the chair John S. Bugbee in his stead. A motion was put to throw the regular chairman, John W. Reid, out without warning, and attempts were made to carry this into effect. Mr. Reid's friends surrounded him, twenty or thirty hands reached for weapons, and a general fight appeared imminent. The bolters failing to dislodge the regular chairman, placed Judge Bugbee at another desk and were proceeding to hold a convention of their own, when in confusion with their views. During the turmoil, Judge Bugbee, who is a man of feeble health, and who in the excitement had been subjected to very rough usage, was prostrated by a stroke of apoplexy. The regular organization proceeded with the business and elected the following delegates to St. Louis: Thos. S. Newell, a well known mining man of Juneau; C.S. Johnson, also of Juneau, and United States attorney for Alaska under the Harrison administration; T.R. Needham, and W.W. Kelly, of Wrangell, superintendent of public schools for Alaska. The bolters hastily substituted another chairman in the place of the stricken Judge Bugbee, and also elected a full quota of delegates, who asserted that they were to St. Louis and demand seats in the convention. Judge Bugbee was dead when he was removed from the federal court house where the convention was held. He was the most widely known man that ever resided in Alaska. He was at one time editor of the Overland Monthly, and was city and county attorney at San Francisco.

ANOTHER WHITECAP OUTRAGE.

An affair has occurred at Waterloo, Ont., close to the village of the Wingham outcrop, on Fiddlers' Creek, from the effects of an assault committed on him, several members of the mob being now in penitentiary for various reasons. In this case the victim was a woman, and she is not yet recovered from the shock. It is not certain that the facts are as yet clear. Mary Koehler, a married woman, living with her husband at Shinglehouse, close to Waterloo, was called out one night to assist in the delivery of a sick child. When she stepped out she was pounced upon by four disguised men who stripped of her clothes, beat, tarred, and otherwise ill-treated her, inflicting several severe wounds, and then carried her about on a stretcher. When she was almost dead with exhaustion, and just able to crawl back to the house, where her husband was in utter ignorance of what had taken place. Amos Koehler, the husband, a carpenter, is in jail charged with committing the outrage. Hamacher confessed, and the prisoners were remanded for a few days. It is said that the assault grew out of a report at school that Mrs. Koehler did not give her step-daughter enough to eat.

Nature's Spring Gail.

No wonder that everyone bails with delight the appearance of Dame Nature in her emerald spring gown. After the long dreary winter when we have been wrapped and muffled up like mummies, it is a treat to get out of heavy clothing and enjoy the mild air. Winter is especially trying in the country where there are such long distances to travel and so much outdoor work to attend to. The cold seems even more penetrating than in the city, and the question of suitable clothing is one of vital interest. Fur-lined coats are warm enough, but too heavy and cumbersome to wear about with comfort, and a fibre chemise interlining seems to be the best thing yet found for all round comfort. It gives no weight or bulk and yet is absolutely wind and weather proof, and what's more is cheap enough to be in every one's reach.

"Why, Tommy, you are not at the jam again and only whipped for it an hour ago."

"Yes, mamma, I heard you tell auntie she thought you'd whipped me too hard, and I thought I'd make it even."

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart Relieved me of Angorinal Pain in 20 Minutes and Was the Means of Saving My Life. Says Mrs. John J. Dunsen, Tara, Ont.

About three months ago I was attacked with nervous heart trouble. The pain was so severe I could hardly breathe. I could get no relief and feared that I could not live. I saw advertised in the Tara Leader, Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, and immediately procured a bottle. I secured perfect relief inside of 20 minutes and I believe it was the means of saving my life.

If your heart flutters, palpitates or throbs out easily, it is diseased and treatment should not be delayed a single day. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart relieves almost instantly, and will effect a radical cure.

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Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the use of Dr. Agnew's Kidney Cure. This new remedy is a great surprise and delight on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy.

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Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gives perfect relief in cases of Angorinal, Sympathetic Heart Disease in 30 minutes, and speedily effects a cure. It is a powerful remedy for Palpitation, Shortness of Breath, Smothering Spells, Pain in Left Side and all symptoms of a Diseased Heart. One dose cures.

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A DOUBLE RESCUE.

TWO YOUNG LADIES BROUGHT BACK TO HEALTH AND STRENGTH.

One Was Threatened With Consumption Following an Attack of Pneumonia—The Other was in Advanced Stage of Anemia—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restored Health after Other Medicines Failed.

From the Truth, N.S., News.

Among the residents of Truro, there are none better known or more highly esteemed than Mr. or Mrs. Jas. Turner. Mr. Turner is an elder in the Presbyterian church, and a man whose word is as good as his bond. In his family reside two young ladies, Miss Maud Carleton, an adopted daughter, and Miss Jessie Hall, a sister of Mrs. Turner. Both young ladies are known to have had trying illnesses, and were said to have been restored to health by a popular medicine, the name of which is a household word from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Judging that their story would be of popular interest, a reporter called upon them and asked for such information as they might choose to make public. Both young ladies were adverse to publicity, but when it was pointed out that their experience might be helpful to some other sufferer, gave a statement for publication.

Miss Christie, whose case is perhaps the most remarkable, is given precisely. She said: "I am now 19 years of age and have never been very strong. On the 25th of May I was attacked with pneumonia and was confined to my bed for nearly two weeks. I was under treatment by our physician and still continued taking his medicine. I did not appear to recover any strength, however, and on the 14th of November was again forced to take to bed, this time suffering from great weakness and nervous prostration. The doctors' medicine now seemed to do me no good, and I grew gradually worse. I became so low that it seemed hardly possible that I could live long. The doctor said that I was in consumption and that medicine was of no more use to me. At this time an article was published in the paper concerning the cure of a young lady in Toronto by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and Mr. Turner at once bought some. After I used about six boxes I began to get gradually better, my strength began to return, my appetite improved and I had sound refreshing sleep at night. I have now used fifteen boxes of Pink Pills and have no hesitation in saying that they have effected a wonderful cure in my case."

In the case of Miss Hall the Pink Pills have also accomplished marvels. She was attacked with dizziness, severe headaches and fainting spells, followed later by swelling of the feet and limbs, together with other symptoms of anemia. After having continued her physician for some time without any noticeable improvement she decided to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial. After using a few boxes of the pills there was a decided improvement in her condition, and with the continued use of the pills, full strength, health and activity returned, and Miss Hall is now feeling as well as ever she did in her life. Both Mr. and Mrs. Turner were present during the interview, and strongly endorsed what the young ladies said, and expressed their thanks for what Pink Pills had done for them.

The experience of years has proved that there is absolutely no disease due to a vitiated condition of the blood or shattered nervous system that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will not promptly cure, and those who are suffering from such troubles will avoid much misery and save money by promptly resorting to this treatment. Get the genuine article every time, and do not be persuaded to take an imitation or some other remedy, from a dealer, which for the sake of the extra profit to himself, he may say is "just as good." Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure when other medicines fail.

True bravery is shown by performing without witness what one might be capable of doing before all the world.

"Within 12 Hours After First Dose the Pain Left Me"—Rheumatism of Seven Years' Standing.

I have been a victim of rheumatism for seven years, being confined to bed for months at a time, unable to turn myself. I have been treated by many physicians in this part of the country, none of whom benefited me. I had no faith in rheumatism cures advertised, but my wife induced me to get a bottle of South American Rheumatic Cure from Mr. Taylor, druggist, Owen Sound. At the time I was suffering agonizing pain, but inside of twelve hours after I took the first dose the pain left me. I continued until I took three bottles, and I consider myself completely cured. Signed, J. D. McLeod, Leith, P.O. Ont.

Widowers do not have half so much fun as they are supposed to have.

Gravel and Kidney Disease Quickly Cured—Relief can be Obtained Within Six Hours.

I have been troubled with gravel and kidney disease for eight years, during which time I have tried numerous remedies and different doctors without any permanent benefit. At times the pain in the left kidney was so severe that I could not lie down or remain in one position any length of time. Seeing your advertisement in South American Kidney Cure in the Enterprise, I procured a bottle from A.S. Goodlove, druggist, and taking it according to directions got immediate relief and feel better now than at any time since first noting the disease. The soreness and water in my urine is relieved. I recommend all who are afflicted with this dangerous trouble to give South American Kidney Cure a trial. Signed, Michael McMullen, Chesley, Ont.

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One short puff of the breath through the Blower, supplied with each bottle of Dr. Agnew's Cataract Powder, diffuses this powder over the surface of the nasal passages. Painless and delightful to use, it relieves instantly, and permanently cures Catarrh, Hay Fever, Colds, Headache, Sore Throat, Tonsillitis and Deafness. One dose cures.

Sold by all druggists.

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The clergy of Canada of all denominations, seldom hesitate to speak frankly in the interests of a good cause or on behalf of some good meritorious article. Force is given to utterances of this character, when the men can speak from individual experience. This is the case with the Rev. A. B. Chambers, L. L. B., and Rev. Wm. Galbraith, L. L. B., and Rev. W. H. Withrow, D. D., than whom few ministers of the Methodist church are better known in Toronto or elsewhere throughout the Dominion. As with many others these brethren have been troubled with cold in the head and its invariable successor, cat. rh. A remedy, however, was within their reach. They used Dr. Agnew's Cataract Powder, and found, as everyone else finds, that relief was speedy and effective, and desiring to benefit others they frankly make this statement to the world over their own signatures.

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Geo. Nichol, Seaford, Ont.

I can certify to the above in every particular.

W. G. McLENNAN, Seaford, Ont.

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OUR MAIL.

Our mail brings us every day dozens of letters about Burdock Blood Bitters. Some from merchants who want to buy it, some from people who want to know about it, and more from people who do know about it because they have tried it and been cured. One of them was from Mr. J. Gillan, B.A., 39 Gould Street, Toronto. Read how he writes:

GENTLEMEN,—During the winter of 1895 my blood became impure on account of the hearty food I ate in the cold weather. Ambition, energy and success forsook me, and all my efforts were in vain. My skin became yellow, my bowels became inactive, my liver was lumpy and hard, my eyes became inflamed, my appetite was gone, and the days and nights passed in unhappiness and restlessness.

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# THE MAIL.

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1896.

## PREFERENTIAL TRADE.

Mr. Macdonald and Mr. McCarthy both favor preferential trade. Mr. McCarthy's idea of it is to at once cut down the duties on goods imported from Great Britain while Mr. Macdonald's is to wait until something like a Zollverein of all the provinces and colonies of Great Britain can be effected with the mother country. The one is practical and ready to affect immediate results, the other is a theory yet untried and untested. The preferential trade we have had with Great Britain so far taxes her goods 22 per cent. on an average against 12 per cent. charged the rest of the outside world. For instance we collect \$7,000,000 a year from the \$35,000,000 of goods we get from Great Britain and but \$10,000,000 from the \$75,000,000 we get from the outside world. Oh, but says Mr. Goldwell speaking for Mr. Macdonald for instance, nearly all our imports from Great Britain are liquors and luxuries, which should pay a high tax. Let us look at this: The Trade and Navigation returns say we import about \$11,000,000 worth of free goods from Great Britain and some \$20,000,000 worth of dutiable goods paying \$7,000,000 or 35 per cent. as possible 33 per cent. all around. Now here are some of the figures:

Iron and manufactures and raw materials	\$2,000,000
Steel	2,000,000
Foodstuffs for domestic consumption	15,000,000
Foodstuffs for export	240,000,000
Wool	18,000,000
Woolen goods	216,000,000
Woolen goods	418,000,000
Cotton yarn	92,000,000
Woolen goods	217,000,000
Manufactures of wool	263,000,000
Ready-made clothing	490,000,000
Socks and stockings	247,000,000
Wool yarn	365,000,000
Woolen goods	768,000,000
Table cloths	25,000,000
Linens	325,000,000
Leathers	100,000,000
Cutlery and tools	675,000,000

These are only a few of our imports on which we pay 30 per cent. duty under Mr. Macdonald's preferential trade, and they do not embrace one article that is not used every day by the farmers of Canada. Mr. McCarthy says, cut the duties on these to half and increase the trade with Great Britain. Is he right?

## THE DIFFERENCE.

On the trade question the main difference between the two candidates in Brandon is this: Mr. McCarthy says the high duties under the N. P. have years ago worn out their usefulness—the experiment of high protection is not proving the boon to the country that it was alleged it would; and Mr. Macdonald says for the good protection is doing it should be continued longer, to give the manufacturers a further chance, and how much longer no one knows. Now let us look into this: There are consumed annually in Canada of Canadian manufactures about \$150,000,000 worth. These sell as nearly as possible at the prices of imported goods with the duties added and are, therefore, about 27 to 32 per cent. higher to the consumers than they ought to be, which amounts to a tax of \$40,000,000 a year, and all to keep some 250,000 operatives alive. It costs us then about \$160 per operative. At this rate it would be money in the pockets of the Canadian people, if they would remove all duties and pension off the operatives at the expense of the treasury. McCarthy's idea is to allow these manufacturers about half the protection they now have which should be ample, since they are now well-established, and give the public the benefit of the correspondingly reduced cost of products. He thinks as the manufacturers have been fleecing the consumers for 19 years, it should now be the inning of the consumers of Canada, and he is right.

The bell cord on 10th street declares that Mr. McCarthy is ignorant of our geography when he stated that the distance to the Hudson's Bay was but 232 miles. As a matter of fact he said nothing of the kind. Hon. Tupper never promised aid for any longer distance than 232 miles to the Saskatchewan, which every Manitoban knows is of no service to this country, and Mr. McCarthy only dealt with the distance the premier promised to subsidize; only that and nothing more. Mr. McCarthy believes in a full road to the Bay or nothing; the Times is willing to accept a line to the Saskatchewan—a feeder for the C. P. R.—as a H. B. R. R. for election purposes.

Some say what's the use voting for McCarthy because Laurier is as much committed to remedial legislation as Tupper is? If McCarthy was Laurier there would be a point in such argument. He is not, however, and in the House will ever stand a guard on the tower to prevent either party from forcing such an accused bill on this province.

On the school issue the difference between Mr. Macdonald and Mr. McCarthy is mainly this: Mr. Macdonald contends the Dominion government, as Manitoba refused to settle the question to suit the Catholics, was fully justified in going on with remedial force last session that cost Canada three-quarters of a million of dollars, but still it they bring it up again as he says they are compelled to do, owing to the reading of the constitution in the House and vote against them. This interpreted means for the sake of the votes of the electors, he will actually do violence to the requirements of the constitution. This is not alone our way of constructing it, it is the construction of the Winnipeg Nor' Wester as well. Mr. McCarthy will not only vote against remedial legislation but exert every effort at his command to defeat it, as he contends it is not a necessary move within the meaning of the constitution, and would not be resorted to but for the anxiety of the government to purchase Quebec at the expense of Manitoba. Now, gentle reader, ask yourself the simple question, which is the proper course for you to take on polling day, to cast your vote for one who will suffer violence to the constitution for the votes it may bring, or the man who denounces a trampling on the freedom of this province to hold a political party in power.

The protective duties on wheat are held before the farmers as a great boon. Let us see what they amount to. Annually the eastern provinces, Ontario included, consume about 5 bushels per head of the population or say 25,000,000 and they require 2,000,000 more for seed or a total of say 27,000,000 as the demand, and they raise annually from 20,000,000 to 25,000,000 bushels. Say they have an annual shortage of 5,000,000. This they have to have from Manitoba or the States. Say the protection of 15 cents a bushel secures the whole market for that 5,000,000. If the whole duty was gained, which it rarely or never is the whole profit would be but \$750,000 or 25 cents a year for each one of the Canadian farm population. That's the extent from even the government point of view, of the benefit of protection to the Canadian farmers. Against this, as we have shown in other columns the Canadian people pay out annually some \$40,000,000 a year unnecessarily on Canadian manufactures or \$8 per head of the entire population. The farmers then make 25 cents each by protection on wheat and they lose \$8.00 by protection on miscellaneous manufactures. Does it put them then to keep up the high duties? Let the farmers of Brandon consider this.

The election of Mr. Macdonald in this division will result in a serious blow to the Conservatives if Mr. Macdonald is sincere in his promises on the school question. In the House in April, for speaking against remedial legislation, Dr. Sproule and Mr. McNeil two representatives who gave the government a slavish support in every thing but the school question, were read out of the party; and now the government are putting a candidate in the field to defeat Clark Wallace, a gentleman who also supported the National Policy and every line of the government's policy excepting the Remedial Bill. Of this especially the Orangemen should take full notice. The electors of Brandon should see from this that if they elect Mr. Macdonald and he speaks and votes against remedial legislation he too will be read out of the party. We think Mr. Macdonald is too strong a party man to suffer himself to be read out, and for this reason he could not muster courage enough to speak or vote against remedial legislation. If he did either and was read out how would such treatment? Is it not better for them to take a Conservative who is already read out and save double humiliation.

The Nor' Wester of Saturday says: It is hardly necessary to say that Manitoba has practically rebelled, for refusal to obey the mandate of the Sovereign issued on the decision of the court of last resort, can be construed as little short of rebellion. It certainly is not loyalty. Then as Mr. Macdonald refuses "to obey the mandate" he has "practically rebelled" and is "disloyal." Shades of horror! Is not "the organ" sinking its friends in a hole. Save me from my friends, and allow my enemies to write a book, shouts Mr. Macdonald.

A great ado is made by the government's spouters of the falling off of meat imports into Canada of late years, and the protective duties are credited with this changed condition of things. The reason there were heavy imports 12 or 15 years ago was simply because the Northwest demands were large, and we were producing but little. With production under way here the necessity for importation ceased. This is very nearly a full explanation.

From a Manitoban point of view the real question is not the residence of the representative in this contest but an expression from the electorate. In the eastern provinces there are scores of candidates that are looking to Manitoba to see what interest our people have themselves in the school question. If we send Mr. McCarthy down with a defeat or but a small majority, these eastern candidates will say, Manitoba herself has no interest in the school matter, then why should we bother our heads about it. Let them fight their own battles up there. On the other hand give Mr. McCarthy a sweeping majority, and our eastern sympathizers are inspired with new confidence in our cause. This is the real issue in the present contest. If the people want Clark Wallace and such men to work for them whenever Tupper or Laurier introduces a remedial bill let them say by their votes for McCarthy. WE WANT YOUR HELP.

The Brandon Times is in ecstasies of delight because Mr. McCarthy did not in his speech here give a full description of the amendments he would suggest to the government's full policy. It has taken the government nineteen years to put their policy in its present shape, and Mr. McCarthy is rated no good because he could not review the whole of it, point out defects and suggest the proper substitutes therefor in one single address. Could stupidity go further? He is criticised for not breaking with the government in 1882, when he first discovered weakness in the National Policy. Every one knows that sensible men never break at once; they labor for a time with their friends to endeavor to have the wrongs corrected by them, and it is only after years of entreaties, when they find efforts are unavailing that they break. Fools may separate at a moment's notice but it takes time to separate men of judgment.

It would appear from the articles in that paper that Mr. McCarthy himself has taken the Brandon correspondent of the Nor' Wester into his confidence and assured him what he has told no one else in Canada, that if he is elected in two constituencies he will resign Brandon and that either Mr. Sifton or Mr. Speers will run for it when opened. It takes the Nor' Wester to get up what the Irish man calls cock and bull yarn. Of course, Mr. McCarthy is like all other political leaders, he will have his movements governed by the requirements of his cause—Manitoba's case on the school question—lower duties, preferential trade, a complete Hudson's Bay R. R. under government control and not a branch to the Saskatchewan, as Sir Charles Tupper has projected. However of far as any other man living, outside of Mr. McCarthy himself, knows if elected here he will remain Brandon's representative.

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Monday tore its way through the  
city, there exists about as much un-  
certainty as to the actual number of  
killed and the amount of prop-  
erty damaged as on the first morn-  
ing after the disaster. Scores of dead  
bodies have been identified, but no one is  
venturing a guess as to how  
many more may be in the ruins of  
buildings as yet un-  
identified. The total number of dead  
bodies identified up to to-night,  
and in East St. Louis 127. In  
all there are twenty-two bodies  
identified and in East St. Louis,  
the believed that the death of  
the future recovery of  
will bring the St. Louis death  
toll up to 300. In East St. Louis  
officials declare this evening  
have hope that the death  
toll on the side of the river will not  
exceed 100, but the ruins upon which  
bodies have not yet begun to  
be well the total far beyond  
that.

THE PROPERTY LOSS  
is wider and further apart.  
The damage to-day all the way  
from \$500 to \$50,000,000 for St.  
and from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000  
for East St. Louis. The most popular  
is in the neighborhood of  
for both cities, including  
buildings damaged. The  
contractors of the city have  
been overwhelmed with orders for re-  
construction. The work of wiping out  
the storm will be pushed  
with all the energy of the  
committee in charge announced  
that the auditorium to be used  
Republican national convention  
is repaired and now shows not  
the effect of the storm.

Over a thousand of men have  
been night and day cleaning  
the wreckage in the path of the  
storm. They have scarcely made a  
impression towards restor-  
ing the confusion to anything  
like a passage ways have been  
through some of the principal  
buildings it is true, but for the  
the streets are still choked  
with the battered remains of homes  
and churches.  
The storm is fully a mile  
wide. It starts away out of  
the city where beautiful  
people of wealth are located.  
The course, it extends down  
the city, populated, ter-  
rifically and six miles before  
it strikes the river.

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of this province to-day, the  
striking utterance occurred:  
to attain this object (the  
of separate schools in Man-  
it only act as representa-  
tive of the people, who are in-  
tended to have with their  
and support a house measure  
and be efficacious remedy  
was called by the Manitoba  
In this speaking to you,  
bowed brethren, the intention  
with any of the political  
the contrary, we wish to  
curb, but the Manitoba  
being before all, a re-  
question and ultimately bound  
interest of the Catholic  
this country, and the natural  
of parents as also to the respect  
of the constitution of the country  
the Roman crown we will con-  
tribute to our sacred  
duties, we are the defenses, if  
we are not authorized to assure  
you. Please remark, our dearly  
beloved brethren, that a Catholic  
is not a member, to have  
of conduct in a religious  
life, and to trample un-  
der the exercise of his duties  
the obligations imposed on  
him, therefore, all Catholics  
note for the candidates  
the duty and solemnly en-  
courage to vote in parliament  
legislation giving the Cath-  
olic Manitoba the school laws  
recognized to them by the  
Council of England. This grave  
you would not be unjustifi-  
cable before God Himself, to see  
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